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In re Application of: **Nesper, et al.**
Application No.: **10/731,284**
Filed: **December 9, 2003**
For: **IMPLANT FOR FIXING ADJACENT BONE PLATES**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Art Unit: **3733**
Examiner: **R. Shaffer**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

☒ An Amendment in the above-identified application (12 pages plus attachments - six Replacement Sheets of drawings (Figures 1-6) and two Annotated Sheets showing changes made to Figures 2, 3 and 4-6);

☒ Return receipt postage prepaid postcard;

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the payment of the required fee(s) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0625.

Very truly yours,

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